

ASSEMBLY BILL

No. 2621

Introduced by Assembly Members Garcia and Olsen
(Coauthor: Senator Fuller)

February 21, 2014

An act to add Section 1596.819 to the Health and Safety Code, relating to child day care.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

AB 2621, as introduced, Garcia. Child day care facilities: licensing reports.

Under the California Child Day Care Facilities Act, the State Department of Public Health licenses and regulates child day care facilities. Existing law requires the department, when it conducts a site visit of a licensed child day care facility, to publicly post at the facility a notice that indicates whether the facility was cited for violating any state standards or regulations. Existing law also requires each licensed child day care facility to make accessible to the public a copy of any licensing report or other public licensing document that documents a facility visit, a substantiated complaint investigation, a conference with a local licensing agency management representative and the licensee in which issues of noncompliance are discussed, or a copy of an accusation indicating the department's intent to revoke the facility's license.

This bill would require the department to post those licensing reports and documents on its Internet Web site.

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: yes.
State-mandated local program: no.

The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

- 1 SECTION 1. Section 1596.819 is added to the Health and
2 Safety Code, to read:
3 1596.819. The department shall post on its Internet Web site
4 licensing reports or other public licensing documents for each
5 licensed child day care facility that document all of the following,
6 as applicable:
7 (a) Facility visits and inspections.
8 (b) Substantiated complaint investigations.
9 (c) A conference with a local licensing agency management
10 representative and the licensee in which issues of noncompliance
11 are discussed.
12 (d) An accusation indicating the department's intent to revoke
13 the facility's license.